ToJim Garrison from Harold Weisberg 3/17/68

"Rev" Jerry Eagle

I presume it is not necessary to draw special attention to a man who appears not to be the ordained of any accredited church, who persists in calling himself "Rev", and who also appears to be gay. This is the seeming office mate of Dean Andrews, whose address is 910 Toulouse. He was helpful to me.

In discussing my hopes for establishing a rapport with responsible members of the homosexual community and my fears of the unfortunate and vulnerable position in which they are, he rejoined by blaming the existing problem on you. It is because you clobber people with perjury raps, he says, that all are afraid.

I asked him to cite a single unwarranted one. Strangely, he did not mention Dean (who had earlier told me that what I did with Bob Scott and you would impede me because people would therefore not trust me), his seeming close friend. He was heated and indignant when he specified Layton Martens. My response was to say that there is little doubt of the fact, that Layton had tried to arrange a deal on it with me, and that his salvation was obvious: to relieve his perjury. Jerry simmered down, but his very obvious feeling when Layton is involved was undisguised and passionate.

I leave it to you to draw the inferences.